

Amendments to the claims:

1-11. (Canceled)

12. (Original) An isolated polynucleotide, comprising: a nucleotide sequence at least 90% identical to SEQ ID NO. 1.

13. (Original) The isolated polynucleotide of claim 12, wherein the nucleotide sequence is at least 95% identical to SEQ ID NO. 1.

14. (Original) The isolated polynucleotide of claim 12, wherein the nucleotide sequence encodes an amino acid sequence comprising SEQ ID NO. 2.

15-20. (Canceled)

21. (Original) An isolated polynucleotide, comprising: a nucleotide sequence at least 90% identical to SEQ ID NO. 7.

22. (Original) The isolated polynucleotide of claim 21, wherein the nucleotide sequence is at least 95% identical to SEQ ID NO. 7.

23. (Original) The isolated polynucleotide of claim 21, wherein the nucleotide sequence encodes an amino acid sequence comprising SEQ ID NO. 8.

24-26. (Canceled)

27. (Currently Amended) The isolated polynucleotide of any of claims ~~1, 12, 15, 18, and 21 and 24,~~ wherein the protein encoded by the polynucleotide binds to a specific antibody of human albumin.

28. (Currently Amended) A recombinant vector, comprising: the sequence of the polynucleotide in claims ~~1, 12, 15, 18, or 21 and 24,~~

29. (Original) The recombinant vector of claim 28, wherein the vector is an expression vector for

expressing the fusion protein in a host organism selected from the group consisting of mammal, fish, insect, plant, yeast, and bacterium.

30. (Original) The recombinant vector of claim 29, wherein the host organism is yeast.

31. (Original) The recombinant vector of claim 30, wherein the strain of the yeast is selected from the group consisting of, but not limited, *Saccharomyces*, *Candida*, *Pichia*, *Kluyveromyces*, *Torulaspora*, or *Schinosaccharomyces*.

32. (Original) The recombinant vector of claim 30, wherein the strain of the yeast.

33. (Original) The recombinant vector of claim 30, wherein the recombinant vector is a yeast transfer vector, such as pPICZ A, pPICZ B, or pPICZ C.

34-39. (Canceled)

40. (Original) A recombinant cell containing the recombinant vector of claim 28.

41. (Currently Amended) The recombinant cell of claim ~~38~~ 40, wherein the cell is selected from the group consisting of mammalian, fish, insect, plant, yeast, and bacterial cells.

42-50 (Canceled)